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NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
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FIGA-498

25 July 1950

TO : []
FROM : []
SUBJECT : General : Operational
 Specific : ~~DEVILFISH~~
SOURCE : [] *MAI NETTO, SERGIO / CAPT /*
REFERENCES : JGX-1898, 1876, etc.

1. Source saw Subject by chance in Via XX Aprile in Genoa and gave him a lift to Via XX Settembre, where he offered him a drink.
2. Subject stated that the COMPAGNIA GENOVESE DI NAVIGAZIONE and its successor owed him approximately 16 months' salary for his services as Capo Commissario aboard the SS FILIPPA and that he could not effect a settlement with them because they had no funds available.
3. DEVILFISH stated that he and the crew had remained "in hook" at Buenos Aires for over seven months and that during the last eight months he had been ashore, pounding the pavements from one navigation company to another but with no success.
4. He states that he still sees (Capt.) BARNATTO and (Major) MAZUCCO (at present both employees of the E. PIAGGIO CO. Of, Sestri-Genoa), but that they are more interested in lining their pockets with money than in pursuing political programs as in the past.
5. DEVILFISH placed himself at Source's disposition, but at present has nothing to offer, except the exploitation of Colonel INVREA of the Movimento Sociale Italiano.

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6. Subject still lives at Bogliasco-Genova, a residence he maintains principally for his mother who suffers from an extreme cardiac condition.
7. Inasmuch as he seemed to be in a hurry, DEVILFISH begged Source's pardon and took leave of him, promising to look him up in order to follow up his contact with INVERA.
8. DEVILFISH stated that he had recently seen Gino OLIVETTI (ex-Italian Naval Intelligence man attached to SOI/L/Genoa), who works aboard an American vessel, and who told him that he was soon to receive his American naturalization papers (sic).
9. Comment: EOE sees no opportunity of using Subject at present but will maintain contact.

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